

Investigation Bureau

Swiss Confederation

Notification

We inform you about a serious incident of an aircraft registered in United States of America (USA) which occurred in Saint Barthelemy (TFFJ), France.

Place, date and time: Saint Barthelemy (TFFJ), France, 16 January 2024, 16:45 UTC

Aircraft

Registration Mark: N668TW

Type: Pilatus Aircraft Ldt., PC-12/45

Operator: Tradewind Aviation Llc (Oxford, Ct)
Owner: Tradewind Aviation Llc (Oxford, Ct)

Pilot: 2
Passengers: 0

Flight:

Flight rules: (unknown)

Type of operation: Commercial

Point of departure: San Juan (TJSJ), Puerto Rico
Point of landing: Saint Barthelemy (TFFJ), France

Damage:

Crew: None
Passengers: None
Thirds: None

Aircraft: Slightly damaged

Ground: None

Short description: Aircraft destabilized during the approach probably due to gusty winds.

The aircraft struck vegetation on its left side and then banked sharply to

the right. It then landed safely.

Remarks: The Bureau d'Enquêtes et d'Analyses pour la sécurité de l'aviation civile

(BEA) has opened an investigation (https://bea.aero).

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